

**U.S. District Court**  
**California Northern District (San Francisco)**  
**CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 3:19-cv-04541-LB**

The Center for Investigative Reporting v. Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Assigned to: Magistrate Judge Laurel Beeler  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 08/05/2019  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
08/05/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against Federal Bureau of Investigation ( Filing fee \$ 400, receipt number 0971-13581285.). Filed by The Center for Investigative Reporting. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Exhibits)(Baranetsky, Diana) (Filed on 8/5/2019) (Entered: 08/05/2019)
08/05/2019	<u>2</u>	Proposed Summons. (Baranetsky, Diana) (Filed on 8/5/2019) (Entered: 08/05/2019)
08/05/2019	<u>3</u>	Certificate of Interested Entities by The Center for Investigative Reporting (Baranetsky, Diana) (Filed on 8/5/2019) (Entered: 08/05/2019)
08/05/2019	4	<p>Case assigned to Magistrate Judge Laurel Beeler.</p> <p>Counsel for plaintiff or the removing party is responsible for serving the Complaint or Notice of Removal, Summons and the assigned judge's standing orders and all other new case documents upon the opposing parties. For information, visit <i>E-Filing A New Civil Case</i> at <a href="http://cand.uscourts.gov/ecf/caseopening">http://cand.uscourts.gov/ecf/caseopening</a>.</p> <p>Standing orders can be downloaded from the court's web page at <a href="http://www.cand.uscourts.gov/judges">www.cand.uscourts.gov/judges</a>. Upon receipt, the summons will be issued and returned electronically. Counsel is required to send chambers a copy of the initiating documents pursuant to L.R. 5-1(e)(7). A scheduling order will be sent by Notice of Electronic Filing (NEF) within two business days. Consent/Declination due by 8/19/2019. (ajsS, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 8/5/2019) (Entered: 08/05/2019)</p>

08/05/2019	<u>5</u>	<b>Initial Case Management Scheduling Order with ADR Deadlines: Case Management Statement due by 10/31/2019. Initial Case Management Conference set for 11/7/2019 11:00 AM in San Francisco, Courtroom B, 15th Floor. (fabS, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 8/5/2019) (Entered: 08/05/2019)</b>
08/05/2019	<u>6</u>	Summons Issued as to Federal Bureau of Investigation, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (fabS, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 8/5/2019) (Entered: 08/05/2019)
08/14/2019	<u>7</u>	CONSENT/DECLINATION to Proceed Before a US Magistrate Judge by The Center for Investigative Reporting.. (Baranetsky, Diana) (Filed on 8/14/2019) (Entered: 08/14/2019)
08/19/2019	<u>8</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE by The Center for Investigative Reporting (Baranetsky, Diana) (Filed on 8/19/2019) (Entered: 08/19/2019)
09/18/2019	<u>9</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by Federal Bureau of Investigation. (Bernardoni, Jevechius) (Filed on 9/18/2019) (Entered: 09/18/2019)
09/18/2019	<u>10</u>	CONSENT/DECLINATION to Proceed Before a US Magistrate Judge by Federal Bureau of Investigation.. (Bernardoni, Jevechius) (Filed on 9/18/2019) (Entered: 09/18/2019)
10/17/2019	<u>11</u>	CLERK'S NOTICE RESETTING CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE TIME: Initial Case Management Conference set for 11/7/2019 at 11:00 AM is reset to <b>9:30 AM</b> in San Francisco, Courtroom B, 15th Floor. ( <i>This is a text-only entry generated by the court. There is no document associated with this entry.</i> ) (ejkS, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 10/17/2019) (Entered: 10/17/2019)
10/17/2019	<u>12</u>	ADR Certification (ADR L.R. 3-5 b) of discussion of ADR options (Baranetsky, Diana) (Filed on 10/17/2019) (Entered: 10/17/2019)
10/17/2019	<u>13</u>	ADR Certification (ADR L.R. 3-5 b) of discussion of ADR options (Bernardoni, Jevechius) (Filed on 10/17/2019) (Entered: 10/17/2019)